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FAULCONER AND OCEAN BEACH CDC ANNOUNCE \$100,000 GATEWAY GRANT

SAN DIEGO, CA – Council President Pro Tem Kevin Faulconer today presented a \$100,000 check from federal community development block grants to members of the Ocean Beach Community Development Corporation for the planned Ocean Beach Gateway project.

Located at the northwest corner of Sunset Cliffs Boulevard and West Point Loma Boulevard, the Gateway is part of a plan to beautify and enhance the entryway to Ocean Beach. The site, which is now an empty city-owned lot, will include a garden, a walking path and community art.

“I am proud to offer this grant, which brings us closer than ever before to revitalizing the entrance to Ocean Beach,” Faulconer said. “This project will improve the quality of life for residents and businesses of Ocean Beach.”

He presented the check to Chris Kern, President and Chair of the OBCDC. The Gateway is the flagship project of the non-profit organization.

“We are still actively looking for additional grant opportunities and donations,” Kern said. “Today’s grant announcement continues to increase excitement for the project and getting it completed.”

The OBCDC is seeking permits to begin construction and hopes to break ground on the first phase of this community infrastructure project before the end of the year.

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